

IN THE CLAIMS:

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1. (Four times amended) A peptide having 9 amino acids constituting a T-cell epitope obtainable from the minor Histocompatibility antigen HA-1, said peptide having the sequence VLXDDLLEA (SEQ ID NO:1), wherein X represents a histidine or an arginine residue.

E2  
2. (Four times amended) An immunogenic polypeptide having 9 amino acids obtainable from the minor Histocompatibility antigen HA-1, said immunogenic polypeptide having the sequence VLXDDLLEA (SEQ ID NO:1), wherein X represents a histidine or an arginine residue.

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4. (Twice amended) A preparation for stimulating the immune response comprising the immunogenic polypeptide of claim 2.

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21. (Amended) A preparation for stimulating the immune response comprising the peptide of claim 1.

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22. (Amended) The preparation for stimulating the immune response of claim 4 wherein X is a histidine residue.